#### HPLC Purification of affinity-purified human PCT

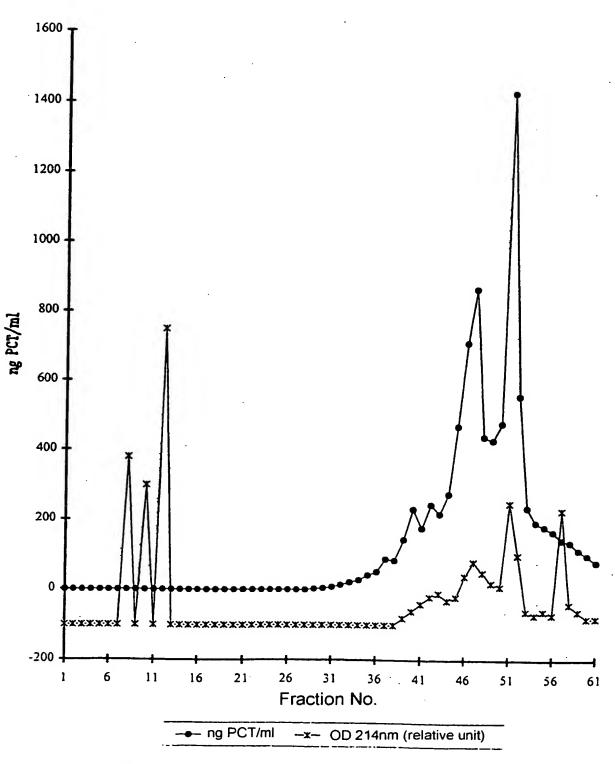
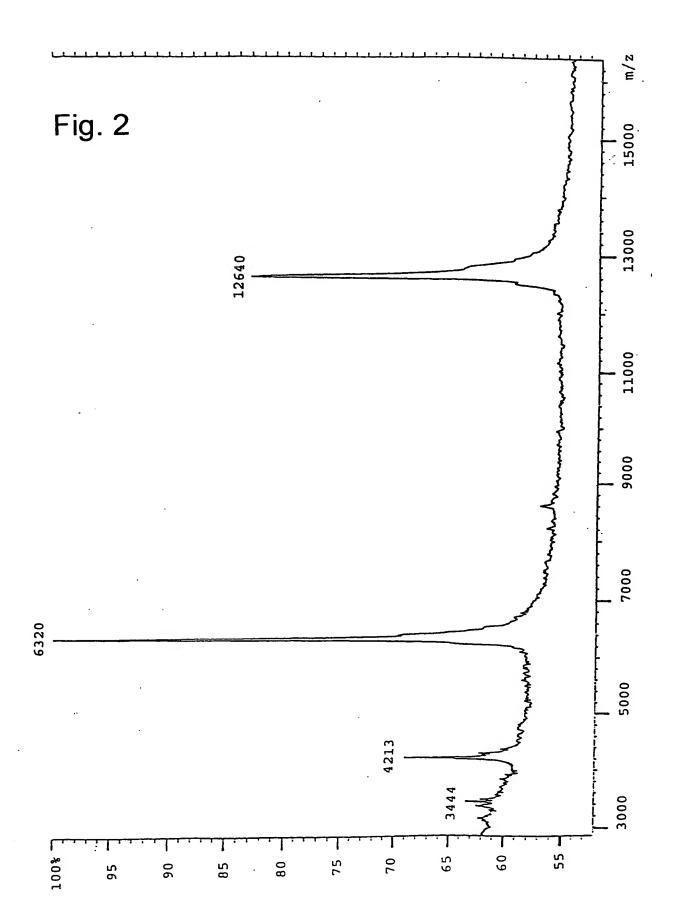


Fig. 1



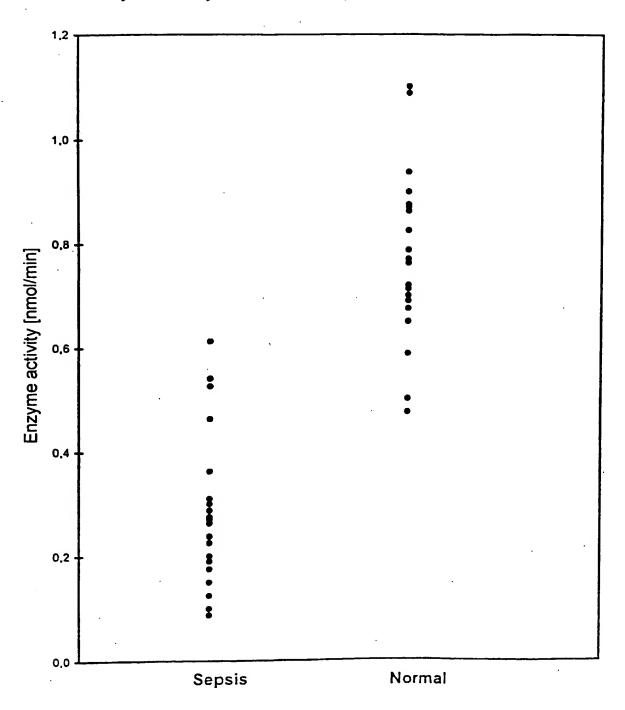


Fig. 3

# Procalcitonin 1000 100 10 0,1 Control Sepsis

Fig. 4a

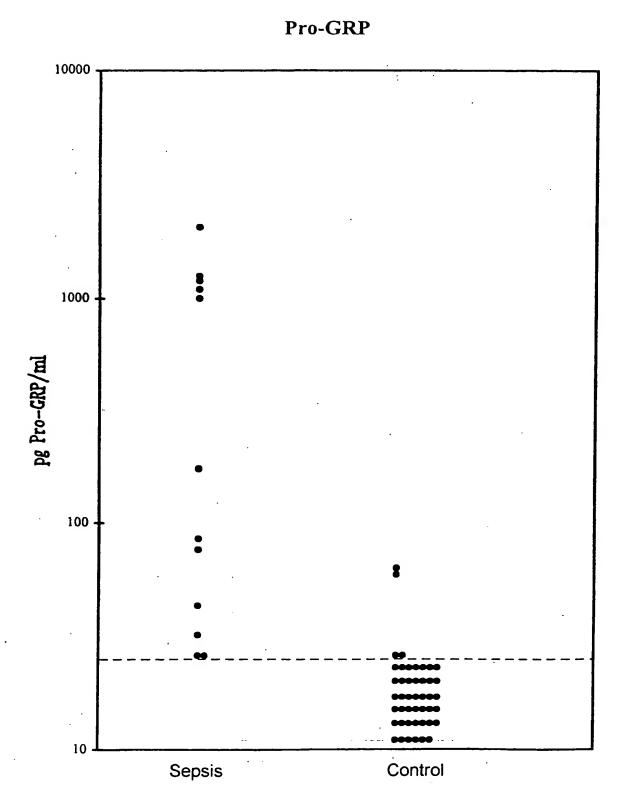


Fig. 4b

# Comparison of the procalcitonin concentration of normal patients vs. sepsis patients

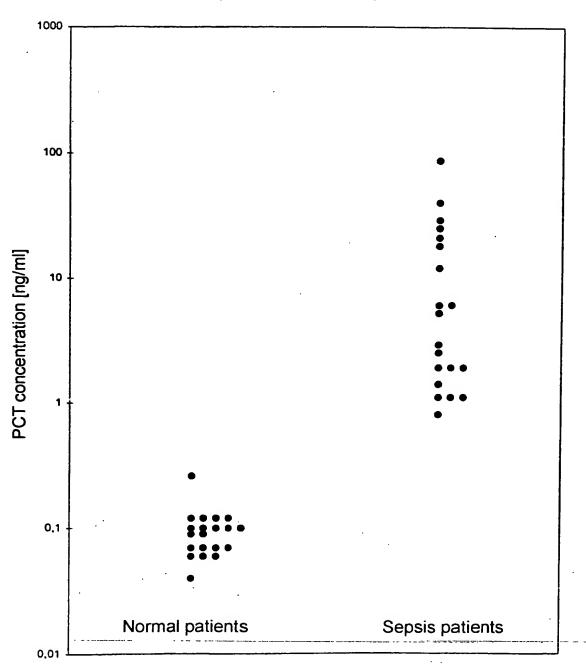


Fig. 5

# Comparison of the prepro-ANF (26-55) concentration of normal patients vs. sepsis patients

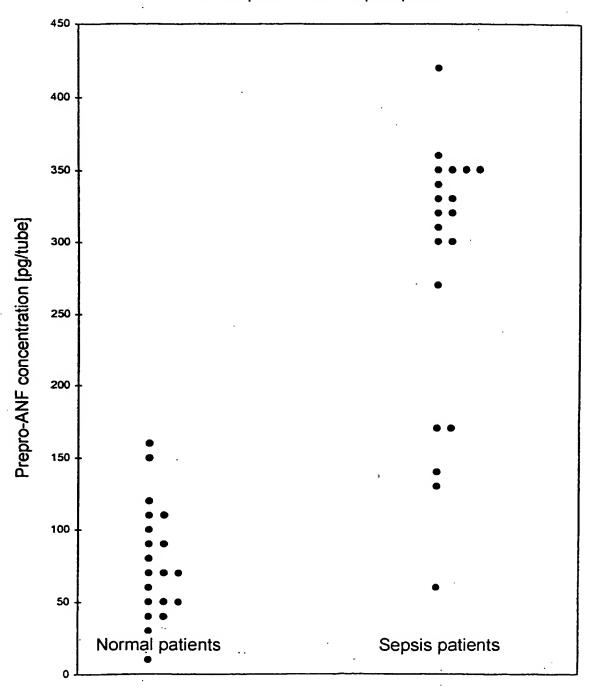


Fig. 6

# Comparison of the pro-adrenomedullin (45-92) concentration of normal patients vs. sepsis patients

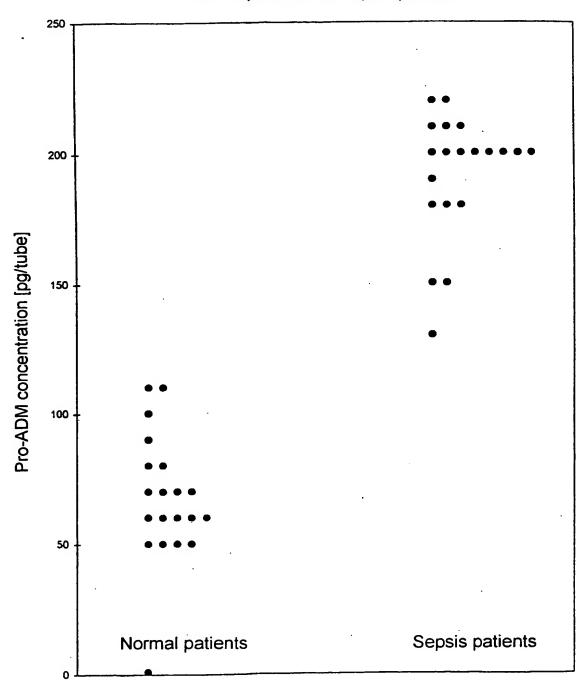


Fig. 7

#### Comparison of the prepro-endothelin (18-50) concentration of normal patients vs. sepsis patients

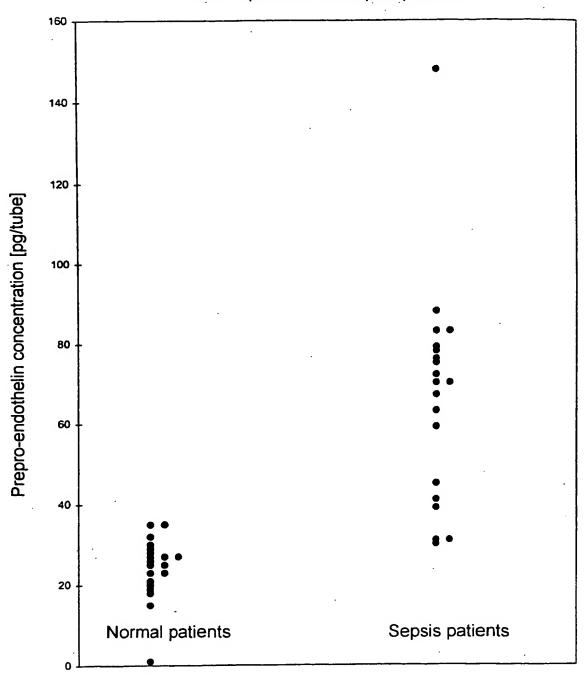


Fig. 8

#### Comparison of the prepro-BNP (22-46) concentration of normal patients vs. sepsis patients

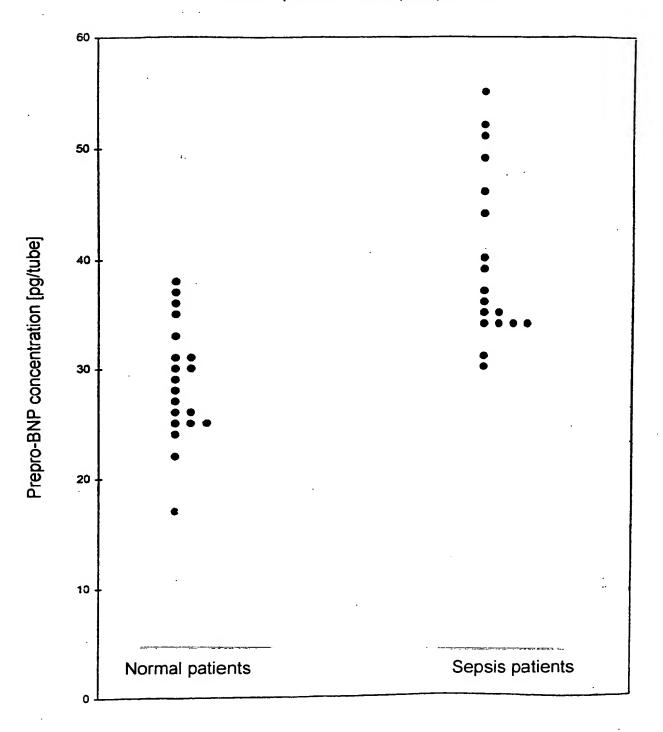


Fig. 9